

1975 No. 61

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION**The Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975***Made* 19th March 1975*Coming into operation* 9th April 1975

The Department of Health and Social Services, with the consent of the Department of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 2 of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975, shall be read as one with the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 9th April 1975.

Amendment of regulation 7 of the principal regulations

2. In regulation 7(1) of the principal regulations (computation of loss of earnings) for "30th June 1973" there shall be substituted "18th January 1975".

Amendment of regulation 10 of the principal regulations

3. In regulation 10(a)(iii) of the principal regulations (allowances in respect of two or more different injuries or diseases) for "£6.05" there shall be substituted "£7.00".

Substitution of Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

4. For Schedule 1 to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

Transitional provision

5. Where a lesser incapacity allowance has been awarded to a person under the principal regulations before 9th April 1975 and a question arises as to the weekly rate of that allowance payable in consequence of these regulations, the case shall be reviewed by the Department in the light of the amendments made by these regulations and the allowance shall continue to be payable at the weekly rate specified in the award until the question shall have been determined in accordance with the provisions of the principal regulations.

(a) 1966 c. 14 (N.I.)

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966 No. 105 (p. 322) as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967 No. 265 (p. 942); 1969 No. 236 (p. 1056); 1970 No. 15 (p. 40); 1971 No. 245 (p. 1205); 1972 No. 208 (p. 1126); 1973 No. 291 (l. p. 1542); and 1974 No. 136

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 19th March 1975.

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C. G. Oakes

Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance hereby consents to the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 19th March 1975.

(L.S.)

David Clement

Assistant Secretary

SCHEDULE

Regulation 4

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 5

<i>Loss of earnings</i>	<i>Rate of lesser incapacity allowance</i>
£	£
0·49½	0·15
0·99½	0·30
1·74½	0·45
2·49½	0·60
3·24½	0·85
3·99½	1·10
4·74½	1·35
5·49½	1·75
6·24½	2·15
6·99½	2·55
7·74½	2·95
8·49½	3·35
9·24½	4·10
9·99½	4·85
10·74½	5·60
11·49½	6·35
11·50	7·00

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966. They increase the weekly rate of lesser incapacity allowance payable in certain circumstances.